

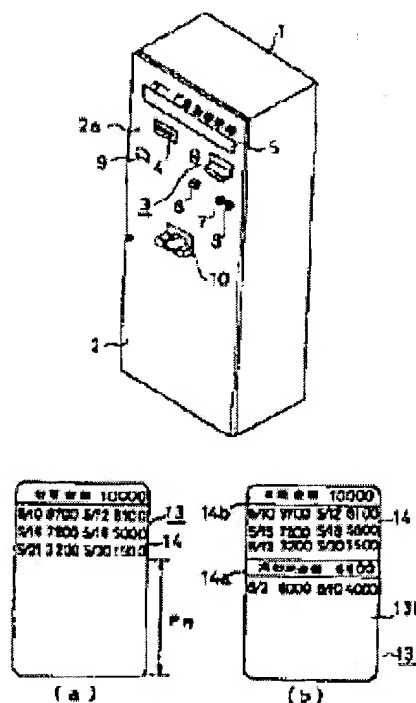
AUTOMATIC PREPAID CARD VENDING MACHINE

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PURPOSE: To prevent a usable card from being abandoned by issuing the card as a new prepaid card again in which a put-in amount is added to the remainder of the card when printing blank lines more than rates exist on the back of the prepaid card.

CONSTITUTION: Each time a prepaid card 13 is utilized, a character 14 showing the date of use and a card remainder X1 after the use is successively printed to a rear face 13b. When the card remainder X1 is reduced and the new prepaid card 13 is required, this prepaid card 13 is inserted to a card slot 4 of the automatic vending machine and when the money of an amount Y2 to be added to the card remainder X1 is put into a money slot 3, a total amount S of the card remainder X1 and the put-in cash is displayed on a display 5. Next, when a confirmation key 6 is pushed and there is large printing blank lines P on the rear face 13b, the new prepaid card 13 is issued again with the card remainder adding the put-in cash Y2 to the amount of the inserted prepaid card 13.



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